

BURLEY PARISH COUNCIL

A meeting of Burley Parish Council (B.P.C.) was held on Wednesday 2nd December 2015 at 6.30p.m. in Myrtle Hall.

PRESENT Cllr Daubeney (Chairman), Cllr Clarke, Cllr Kendall, Cllr Hall, the Clerk, Cllr Mans (HCC), Cllr M Steele (NFDC) and 2 members of the public.

PLANNING

Decisions communicated by NFNPA since BPC Monthly Meeting on 11th November 2015: -

Address	Proposal	BPC Recommendation	NFNPA Decision
Fallow Fields (formerly 'Wayfarers'), Lyndhurst Road	Solar PV Installation of 16 no. frame mounted panels	R2 - Refusal	Granted
Burley Manor Hotel, Ringwood Road	Replacement Porch (to entrance to 'Charcoals' Annexe)	R5 – No objection	Granted
Burley Manor Hotel, Ringwood Road	Replacement Porch (to 'Charcoals' Annexe); plus Internal & External Alterations (App. for Listed Building Consent)	R5 – No objection	Granted
6, Esdaile Lane	Construction of new single storey extn. & re-roofing existing single storey extn. Demolish existing outbuilding	R5 – No objection	Granted

Applications considered at BPC Monthly Meeting on 2nd December 2015: -

Address	Proposal	BPC Recommendation
Bye Cottage, Moorhill Road, Shappen Bottom	Detached Garage with 1 st floor storage (Demolition of existing outbuildings)	R2 - Refusal
A Coven of Witches, The Cross	Porch	R5 – No Objection

PRECEPT The Government central grant that has in previous years been passed onto Parish Councils has been reduced, as expected, for 2016-17. This means that to maintain the same income in 2016/17 as in 2015/16 i.e. £13649, BPC will increase its precept request by 10p per Band D house.

GRANTS Donations of £75 and £100 respectively, have been given by BPC to the Ringwood & Burley Band and the charity Christmas lunch being held for those alone at Christmas, run by PCSO Tracey Cooper.

BURLEY HERITAGE BPC has been offered the opportunity to purchase a small area of land, adjacent to the Burley car park. This site should be suitable for a two storey building large enough for a Heritage Centre and other Parish purposes (such as a Parish office). A price of £15000 has been negotiated, subject to contract. One of the Council's objectives discussed at the Annual Assembly this year refers to the need to find a permanent home for the Burley Living History project i.e. the collected artefacts, films and equipment relating to the history of the village. Purchase of the land would enable this objective to be achieved. There are a number of fundamental issues that have to be resolved if the Council is to be enabled to progress with such a transaction including, of course, consulting with the village and financing of the project.

NEXT MEETING to be held on Wednesday 13th January 2016 at 6.30pm in the Myrtle Hall.